

A robot
named c3

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The robot

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Chapter one

The Truck

As the night
settled in, a truck

came into a farm.

It went

Right

then

Left

The evening was
cool, and the
truck drifted into
a drive-way. Then

a man climbed
out from it. He
opened the back
and took out a
big box.

He slid it out,
and tucked it
under the stairs
of the house next
to the truck. Then

it went flowing
into the now dark
space, without
knowing this
robot was
different...

Chapter two

The man

A man opened the
door, and he

went out. He
called a name.
“Rocky!” His pet
dog went running
into the dirt
driveway. *Woof!*
Said Rocky. This
may seem like
weird, but inside
the box, there

was a robot. It
wasn't
programmed to
do it, but the
robot was
hearing it like "Is
it food? Gimme
food!" Not only
the robot could

Speak animal, but
alien language...

Still, the man
didn't suspect it.
So the robot just
stayed quiet. By
being thrashed
around the truck,
his WAKE UP
button got

pressed. It was
really looking like
a mixed up start
for our robot...

Chapter three

The name

The man (Who was
around 67,) took
a cigarette and lit
it to smoke. He

opened the box,
and instantly, our
robot jumped
out. “Hello, I am
ROBOTIKS’ Robot
unit 8769, but
you may call me
C3.” The old man
looked and told
him in his wheezy

and old voice, “I am Alfred. I need you to help me with my garden. I’m getting too old. In a few five or six years, I may be on my death-bed.”

In the last part, he
seemed kind of
sad.

“I’m sorry,” said
C3.

“It’s Ok,” Said
Alfred.

“Woof!” Said
Rocky.

Chapter four

The work

Robots are
supposed to be
normal, not to

talk with...

Aliens? Right?

Yes. Nobody will go
near an alien-
speaking robot.
Nobody. But our
robot tried not to
raise attention.

So when he saw a deer, he ignored it.

He couldn't let his animal side go. He didn't want to end up like the last robot...

Chapter five

Speaking

Animal

Although C3 could
understand
Animal, he
couldn't speak it.
He spent next
days on the
man's backyard,
keeping his
plants clean and
healthy.

He did hear a lot of
animal. Since the
house was next
to the forest,
racoons or deer
would come
would
occasionally
come.

As he heard more
animal, he
started to SPEAK
animal; In three
days, our robot
knew the
language.

Chapter six

The friend

The next day, C3
went to Rocky. He
signaled him into

a part of the
building.

C3 cleared his
throat.

“Hi, Rocky...” He
said in animal
language. Rocky
almost fainted.

“Sorry, I just

want to clear out:

I am not a
monster.” C3

Replied to
Rocky’s quick
faint.

Rocky still didn’t
have comfort
with the robot,
but he was calm.

“How do you talk
Animal?” Rocky
Asked.

“I know how to. I
learned, because
I think there is a
defect on me. It
let me
understand

animal, but not
talk it- until now.”
Said C3.

“Still, don’t come
too close.” Rocky
said, looking
around as if a
monster were
going to pop up.

“I took you here
because I didn’t
want to raise
ideas up to
humans. I don’t
want to end like
the last ro-bo...”

Alfred went out.

“Oh, hi C. I was just going to smoke a little bit.” C3 didn’t care. He whispered to Rocky: “Meet me at midnight, I’ll tell you the story...”

Chapter seven

The Story

Midnight, Rocky
climbed out.

His eyes were
about to close
like a Venus
Flytrap.

“What happened?”
Asked C3.

“I’m not used to
midnight

schedule,” Said
Rocky.

“So...” C3 said.

“I once heard a story about how a robot got caught talking with animals. The owner, a young man named Greg, saw him talking to a deer. Then the robot

ran away, but a
type of thing
called RECO
found him. They
returned him to
the factory,
where they
thrashed and
Crushed his exo-
skeleton!”

Rocky was
shivering at this
58 words.

“So that’s why I
shouldn’t get
caught.”

Chapter eight

The find

A robot that is not
normal is going
to be found,
somewhere,

sometime, and
somehow.

But C3 kept it
quiet, just like
Rocky did. Every
midnight they
turned

Up at the backyard
and started

talking about life
outside the
house. Was it
better in the city?

Was it different?

They didn't know,
but one night,
just as they came
to the right side

of the building,
they saw
something. There
was a hole in the
ground.

And worse:

It was new.

Chapter nine

The alien

They went next to
its side.

It was flaming.

Rocky backed
away. C3 stepped
closer. Then he,
carefully, opened

The rock inside of
the ditch.

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The robot's eyes
glowed. And a

thing with
tentacles jumped
out and slid. It was
bright green, as if
it was acid, and
the green was
sliding through its
body, like a
mudslide.

“What is that?”

Asked Rocky.

“I don’t know. I’ll talk to it.”

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C3 started speaking like an alien. But what the

little thing said
was “Blerg!”

“Ist blaing blsg?”
C3 said.

Traduced, the little
guy said “Mama!”

And C3 said

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“I am not your
Mama.”

Then C3 said:

“This is an Alien.”

Chapter ten

The scientists

A normal Tuesday evening, the air flowed, but some

unexpected guests
were seen outside.

If the robot had
been gardening
and not talking, he
would haven't

Noticed the car
outside, and would

have his (not
known now,) child.

But he noticed.

“What are those?”

Asked Rocky.

“Scientists...” Then
C3 realized that
they could have
come for him.

But he was lucky.

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“We sense weird things- *vibes* over here.” Said the scientist 1.

“Yes. It’s very weird.” Said the scientist 2.

“What are they
saying?” Asked
Rocky. He pawed
the grass,
impatient.

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“Are they here to
take *you* away?”

The Robot
shivered.

“We need to hide
the alien!” Said C3
quick.

He looked over
everywhere.

“Maybe in the
plants? He’s

green!”
helped.

Rocky

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“Yes, thanks!” C3
said.

He took the alien
and dropped him
into a pot.

“We’ll have to look at your robot,” said Scientist 1.

“Y-Y-Yes!” Stuttered Alfred.

They went to the back of the house.

They inspected the robot, but they found nothing.

They looked at his hand. “Hmm...”

Said Scientist 2.

“It’s a weird substance,” Said Scientist 1. “Does

he work with
plants?”

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“Yes! He does!”

Said Alfred, trying
to hide his worried
voice. “Well, okay.

We’ll *do* start
keeping and eye

around here,” they
said, looking at C3.
They just marched
out after...

Kind of lifeless.

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“Well, I don’t know
what there is
around here, but

maybe it has to do
with that Pothole!”
Alfred said.

Chapter eleven

The plan

Rocky came to C3
at midnight.

“We need to have
a plan,” said C3.

“Why?” Asked
Rocky.

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“It’s not safe here
with the alien. I
also don’t want it
to die. We need for
me to run away.”
Said C3, sadly.

“Okay,” Accepted
Rocky sadly too.

It wasn't too happy
now for them.

But it was right.

Chapter twelve

The Run- Away

After a couple of days, the duo had invented a plan.

“So, do you
remember when
you go through the
stream of Valley
4?” Asked Rocky.

“Yes.” Then Rocky
said, “Well, the

Cat I’ve been
paying ISN’T
finding out that

place. It's the last
till' the city. You'll
get there maybe
three months later,
and you'll need to
disguise yourself
as a normal robot.
People there at the
Big Apple don't
really let *their* pets

go outside by their own, and also my owner will

Find out eventually.

Sorry, C, I can't go." Said Rocky,

hesitating. "Hold

that blow!" Said

C3. "Don't be sad.

It'll be okay. I will

come back, yes?"
C3 tried to cheer
up Rocky. Rocky
smiled a bit.

"Thanks," He said.

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"I need to get
moving," Said C3,
taking the map. "I

want to get there
as fast as possible,
because I don't
want the space
station to suspect
me. I saw the
Scientists' had a
NASA sticker. Bye,
Rocky. I'm sorry I
have to go." He

pet the dog and
took his slimy son,
and started his
journey. He

Was at month 2,
and his slime said
“Keeih!” That
meant “I sense
danger!” Then C3
looked around.

Bushes started shaking, and a pack of wild wolves came out. “Food, huh?” Said their leader. “Men, go hunt him!” The ten wolves started attacking him, and his leader said

“Yeh, that’s me!
Scar, the lovely but
lovely...” BOOM! A
wolf fell upon him.
C3 wasn’t
supposed to
attack- but he did.
Then another one
came crashing,
and another one

into Scar, until all
ten were burying
scar.

“I’m going to get
you next time!”
Said the wolf, as
C3 was running.

And he did.
Sometime around

the chapter... 33!

Yes, chapter 33!

Maybe page 104...

Or something.

But let's keep on.

Or maybe in next
chapter.

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Chapter thirteen

The Space
Station

After four months,
The Robot got to

the Big Space
Station. Thrown on
the ground was a
bag, which looked
like it was for tools.
The robot took it
and dropped the
slime in. He took it,
with

A strange walk.

He felt he couldn't do it. But he had to. He had to return this strange thing to space, and go back to the house. He couldn't just let the scientists know where he was. He

had some scrapes
since last time with
the wolves, and
some that he had
even

Before that. Maybe
the scientists could
detect a *new*
robot, which would
be him. C3 gulped

and walked in. A
space rocket was
being shot in
fifteen minutes,
and he had to go
to a far desert. It
was probably ten
minutes away.
When he was

going out, a person stopped him.

“Hey where are you going?” Asked the man. He was the same- the scientist 1!

“Somewhere,” Said C3, suspiciously.

“Somewhere is not

an answer, and I'm
sorry, but I will
have to retain
you." He took the
robot's arm with
him, but C3
snapped out easily.
And that's how the
chase started. C3
jumped into a

building, but the
window tore off
and she fell

Down,

Down,

Down.

Then C3 got up
and ran to the left,

which was were
the spaceship

Was going off in
eight minutes.

Then C3 climbed a
ladder and jumped
through the

buildings. “Dang it!

We need

reenforce!” Cried

out the scientist chasing C3. “Send RECOs!” Instantly, they came with guns.

BANG!

C3 dodged it, and without knowing it, there was a rain of

gunshots. One hit
C3, and he fell
down into the dark
blackness.
Maybe... Forever.

C3 got up. She was
in an abandoned
alleyway, and then
the scientist fell. A
gun fell, and it
fell...

On its trigger.

It was pointing at
the scientist.

C3 ran to the
scientist. “I’m

sorry about this!”

Said C3. “It’s not
your fault, C3.”

Said the scientist.

“We know about
Blarhs.” “Who is

he?” Asked C3.

“The... Alien...
Guy...” Said The
scientist. “My
name is David
Hilbert. Dr. David
Hilbert.” Said Dr.
David. He breathed
hard, putting his
hand over his
blood-filled

stomach.

“Remember, the
scientists only
think

That you are a
defected robot,
who has to be
killed,” Said Dr.
David. You have to
show them you are

not.” “We need to take you to the hospital!” Said C3. “No, the spaceship is leaving in 43 seconds. You need to go. Leave me.” He sighed.

C3 felt- like a feeling.

Of sadness.

Of course, they
can't feel...

feelings? Can
they?

But, C3 was
running, and he
got to the space-
ship when there

was 10 seconds
left.

“10...

9...” Said the
Count-Down.

C3 got to the
space-ship, got
hold of it in the last

5 seconds, and
then it went.

C3's eyes were
bright.

He had forgot the
bag.

Chapter fourteen

The Son

C3 was too close.
But he had to save
his now- Son.

Chapter fifteen

The Lose

C3 was sliding
down the Space-
ship now, leaving a

flammable trace.

He jumped, but
then he got his
hand stuck. He
pulled back hard,
getting thrown into
the room in the
Spaceship, and
losing his arm.

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Chapter sixteen

The new
Arm

After losing his
arm, C3 just tried

snapping it back
in.

It worked for now.

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Chapter seventeen

The
Explosion

When the fire got
up in to the
scratches, and got
in the room. C3
went back and
knocked a Gasoline
can into the floor.

BOOM!

Chapter eighteen

The
Return

C3 knew he
couldn't stay in the

city. The country side was a lot more

undetectable, as he had heard from Dr. David.

So, 4 months after, he got to the greenhouse where he was born. “Mr.

Alfred?" He cried out. Dust started to pick up. He tried again. But the man- or the deer or birds or trucks or cars or crunches or... *rocky.* The Robot felt... Alone.

Suddenly the door
rustled.

Then a young man
came out.

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Chapter nineteen

The Other
Man

It was the person
from the story- C3
couldn't believe it
was real. C3
looked. "Are you
Roz?" C3 detected
the name of a
female. He
changed to a

female voice. “Yes.
I am ROZ.”

Said C3, disguised.

“Okay. You know
what you need to
do.” C3 stared at
the man, Greg,
from the story as if
a lump had

appeared on his head.

He asked, “What do I need to do?”

This was a very bad idea.

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Chapter 20

The close one

“You’re not him!
He should know
what he needs to
do!” Greg cried.

C3 ran, but Greg
held his waist, and
took a closer look.

“I KNEW IT!” He

cried, with a too-wide-smile.

“You’re the legendary unit 8769!” Greg cried, happy. “Finally, I will call the ROBOTIK’S labs!” But then C3’s now son went and

landed in Greg's arm, and started bubbling. "OW! IT BURNT ME!" Cried Greg, red-faced.

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C3 ran through the fields, holding his son, but somehow-

Greg got ahold of him. He threw him in the back of a truck, and sped away with him.

Chapter

21

The factory

C3 got to look at
how fast the wind
went. He just
sighed.

He was trapped.

If he jumped out,
he would die.

Forever.

Shut down...

Finally, Greg pulled
up in the factory's
parking lot.

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He was grinning.

“Your life has come
to an end, C.”

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Chapter

22

The

escape

C3 went out.

But Greg got stuck.

“Sierg,” said C3’s
son. “Yes, we will
escape now,”

Whispered C3.

“help me, knuckle-
head!” C3 just
looked.

“I said, Help me!”

Shouted Greg.

“HELP ME!”

C3 ran.

Into the fields.